GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture& Cooperation Department – Sericulture –Implementation of the Orders dt:23.08.2024 in W.P.Nos.21606/2022, 21609/2022, 21587/2022, 22972/2022, 21591/2022, 21677/2022, 21585/2022, 21589/2022, 21604/ 2022, 21697/2022, 21588/2022, 21597/2022 & 21699/2022 of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh – Permission Accorded – Orders - Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (H&S) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.27 Dated:09.07.2025.

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.212, Finance & Planning (FW.PC.III) Department, dated.22.04.1994.
2. G.O.Ms.No.11, Finance (HR.III) department, dated.20.01.2017.
3. Orders dt:23.08.2024 of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.Nos.21606, 21609,21587, 22972, 21591, 21677, 21585, 21589, 21604, 21697, 21588, 21597 & 21699.
4. From the Director of Sericulture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.748/2022-B3A (RFA), dated: 12.11.2024& 04.04.2025.
5. Orders dt:01.05.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., Notice in CC Nos.1005, 1007&1111, 1008, 1009, 1084 & 1112, 1078 & 1121, 1108, 1010, 1017, 1020 & 1123, 1006, 1011, 1014 of 2025 in W.P.Nos. 21606/2022, 21609/2022, 21587/2022, 22972/2022, 21591/2022, 21677/2022, 21585/2022, 21589/2022, 21604/2022, 21697/2022, 21588/2022, 21597/2022 & 21699/2022 respectively.
6. From the Director of Sericulture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.748/2022-B3A (RFA), dated: 21.04.2025.

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ORDER :

In the G.O. second read above, orders were issued to create (726) posts in the category of Field Assistant under supernumerary basis for regularization of services of Full Time Contingent Employees working in the Sericulture Department those who have completed 5 years of service as on 25.11.1993 and continuing in the Sericulture Department. Accordingly, the eligible Full Time Contingent Employees were appointed as Field Assistants under category 12 of A.P. Last Grade Service Rules 1992, and placed on probation from the date of issuance of the said G.O. i.e. 20.01.2017.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., Amaravathi has passed the orders dated:23.08.2024 in W.P.Nos.21606, 21609,21587, 22972, 21591, 21677, 21585, 21589, 21604, 21697, 21588, 21597&21699 of 2022. The operative portion of the judgment/orders is re – produced below for perusal.

"10. Therefore, Keeping in view of the ratio laid down by this Court in the decisions cited supra, directing the respondents to regularize the services of the petitioners with effect from the date of their completing their five year continuous service, on or before 25.11.1993 retrospectively for the purpose of their pension and pensionary benefits. They shall however not be entitled to actual monitory benefits for the said period, in the form of arrears of pay or allowances. The same order shall be applied in their writ petitioners in this batch writ petitions also.

11. With the above direction, all the writ petitions are disposed of by a common order. It is made clear that the directions contained in this order shall be implemented within three (03) months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

The miscellaneous applications pending, if any, shall also stand closed.".

3. In the reference 4th read above, the Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur has stated that, some of the Field Assistants and Technical Assistants working in the (13) Erstwhile Districts in the department have filed the above Writ Petitions before the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., seeking to issue directions to the respondents to consider the claim of the petitioners therein for counting of NMR service rendered prior to regularization of service i.e., from the date of completion of 5 years as NMR (OR) w.e.f 25.11.1993 for notional fixation of pay and pensionary benefits as held by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No.6318/2015, dated.17.08.2015 in the case of B.Srinivasulu Vs Nellore Municipal Corporation which were followed by the combined Hon'ble High Court in W.P No.33936/2011 & Batch dated.02.05.2018 reported in 2018 (4) ALT 6 and also orders passed in WA No.414/2020, dt.27.08.2021 reported in 2021 (5) ALD P.422 and also as per the orders passed by this Hon'ble Court in W.P.Nos.4247/2019, 4994/2019, dated.06.11.2020 and WA No.313/2020, dated.22.01.2021.

4. The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur has further stated that, in the similar cases, the department has filed Writ Petitions/Writ Appeal/(3) Special Leave Petitions before the Hon'ble A.P High Court, Amaravathi & Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, New Delhi against the orders of the Hon'ble A.P Administrative tribunal, Hyderabad, High Court of Andhra Pradesh and the same were dismissed by the Hon'ble Courts.

5. The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur has therefore requested the Government to examine the matter and take decision on the orders dated.23.08.2024 of the Hon'ble High Court orders in the Writ Petitions filed by Field Assistants and Technical Assistant working in all (13) Erstwhile Districts of the Department to avoid further legal complications, as the Hon'ble High Court has given (3) months time for implementation.

6. The above individuals have filed CC Nos.1005, 1007 & 1111, 1008, 1009, 1084 & 1112, 1078 & 1121, 1108, 1010, 1017, 1020 & 1123, 1006, 1011, 1014 of 2025 in W.P.Nos.21606, 21609, 21587, 22972, 21591, 21677, 21585, 21589, 21604, 21697, 21588, 21597 & 21699 of 2022 respectively for Non implementation of the above orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh.

7. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord permission to the Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur to comply the orders dt:23.08.2024 of the Hon'ble High Court in the following Writ Petitions, to regularize the services of the petitioners who have filed the contempt cases in the following Writ Petitions with effect from the date of their completion of five years of service, on or before 25.11.1993 retrospectively for the purpose of their pension and pensionary benefits without any fixation of pay subject to outcome of review/appeal to be filed in future.

Sl.No	**CC No**	**WP No /order dt:23.08.2024**	**Petitioners in Contempt cases**
1	1005/2025	21606/2022	Y.Venkatasubbaiah and 20 others
2	1007/2025	21609/2022	Ch. Sesha Rao and 10 others
3	1111/ 2025		Smt Vijaya Kumari W/o Late M Ajit Kumar
4	1008/2025	21587/2022	J. Laxmi Narayana and 8 others
5	1009/ 2025	22972/2022	R. Krishnappa and 3 others
6	1084 / 2025	21591/2022	K. Siva Nayak and 20 others
7	1112/2025		Smt A Satyavathi W/o Late A Sreeramachandrudu

			and Smt M Chinnammai W/o Late M Hanumantha Rao
8	1078 / 2025	21677/2022	G. Ramalinga Reddy and 106 others
9	1121 / 2025		1) Smt C Padmavathi W/o Late C Nagaraju (2)Smt M Ramulamma Mother of Late M Narayana Swamy (3)Smt Shaik Magbul Bee W/o Late Shaik Ouranga Jeb (4) Smt Y Mahadevi W/o late Y Srinivasulu (5) Smt S Aruna W/o Late S Ramesh (6) Smt Gowthami Daughter of late Smt E Obulamma (7) Smt P Subbamma S/o Late P Narsimha Reddy (8)B Ramchandrappa Husband of Late Smt B Lakshmi Devi (9)Smt Ramanjamma W/o Late C Nagappa (10)K Thippeswamy Husband of late Smt R Uma Devi
10	1108/2025	21585/2022	Sri K.Krishna Rao, and 2 others
11	1010/2025	21589/2022	Sri M. Demudu
12	1017/2025	21604/2022	Sri T.Venkata Seshaiah and (8) others
13	1020/2025	21697/2022	Sri B.Ganesh Gowdu and (17) others
14	1123/ 2025		1) Smt N Yasoda W/o Late N Anjaneyulu (2)Smt M N Alivelamma W/o Late M Narayana Swamy (3) Smt T Kaladevi W/o Late K Tamil Selvim (4)Smt Ranjani S W/o Late S Subrahmanyam
15	1006/2025	21588/2022	Sri K.Gangaraju and (1) other
16	1011/ 2025	21597/2022	Sri S.Dharmaraju and (17) others
17	1014/2025	21699/2022	Smt.E.Aseervadamma and (3) others

8. This orders/relief being extended only to the incumbent petitioners, who have filed the above contempt cases and not being treated as a precedent to be extended to any person/persons claiming to be similarly situated.

9. The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No. FIN01-HR0PDPP/270/2024-HR-I, dt:17.06.2025.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B RAJSEKHAR
EX-OFFICIO SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director of Horticulture &Sericulture, A.P., Guntur.
The individuals concerned through the DoH&S, A.P., Guntur.
The Director of State Audit Department, Andhra Pradesh.
The Finance (HR.I–Plg,& Policy) Department.

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The Accountant General, A.P., Vijayawada.
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SECTION OFFICER